Forecast For Scotland
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Headline:
East cloudy with rain and snow. Brighter in west.

Today:
Northern and eastern Scotland and the Northern Isles, cloudy with outbreaks of occasionally heavy rain, with sleet and snow, especially over hills, in the southeast. Western and central Scotland look brighter with some sunny spells, especially Argyll and Lochaber.

Tonight:
Mostly cloudy with outbreaks of sleet and snow, with rain on windward coasts. Some heavy snow in southeast this evening and then over northern hills overnight. Strengthening northerly winds.

Thursday:
Northern and eastern parts cloudy with sleet and snow, heavy at times, but rain near coasts. Western areas become brighter through the morning with precipitation turning more showery. Northeast windy.

Outlook for Friday to Sunday:
Cloudy with outbreaks of rain and snow in northeast Friday morning. Otherwise a mix of sunny or clear spells and wintry showers, these mainly falling as snow away from coasts.

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